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The whisper of a beautiful woman can be heard further than the loudest yell of duty,

There is very little use in making to day cloudy because to morrow is likely to be stormy.

In memory's mellowed light we behold not the thorns: we see only the beautiful flowers.

A man that keeps riches and enjoys them not, is like an ass that carries gold and eats thistles.

The sublimity of wisdom is to do these things living which are desired to be when dying.

It is no vanity for a man to pride himself on what he has honestly got and prudently uses.

Let him who regrets the loss of time make proper use of that which is to come in the future.

Ideas generate ideas; like a potato, which, cut in pieces, reproduces itself in a multiplied form.

When a man speaks the truth you may count pretty surely that he possesses most other virtues.

Pleasure, like quicksilver, is bright and shy. If we strive to grasp it it still eludes us and still glitters,

That best portion of a good man's life—his little, nameless, unremembered acts of kindness and of love.

If you won't listen to reason when you are young you will get your knuckles rapped when you are old.

In the quiet of the early morning we should laden our hearts with kindness and good will, for use during the day

To endeavor to work upon the vulgar with fine sense is like attempting to hew blocks of marble with a razor.

Do that which is right. The respect of mankind will follow; or, if it do not, you will be able to do without it.

"The book to read," says Dr. McCosh, "is not the one which thinks for you, but the one which makes you think."

Most historians take pleasure is putting in the mouths of princes what theyhave neither said nor ought to have said.

If you would be known and not know, vegetate in a village; if you would know and not be known, live in a city.

Heaven's gates are wide enough to admit every sinner in the universe who is penitent, but too narrow to admit a single sin.

A physician uses various methods for the recovery of sick persons; and though all of them are disagreeable, his patients are never angry.

No man, for any considerable period can wear one face to himself and another to the multitude without finally getting bewildered as to which may be true.

It is true in matter of estate, as of our garments, not that which is largest, but that which fits us best, is best for us. Be content with such things as ye have.

### FATE.

"The sky is clouded, the rocks are bare;
The spray of the tempest is white in air;
The winds are out with the sea at play,
And I shall not tempt the sea to-day.

The trail is narrow, the woods are dim,
The panther clings to the arching limb,
And the lion's whelps are abroad at play,
And I shall not join in the chase to-day.

But the ship sailed safely over the sea,
And the hunters came from the chase in glee
And the town that was builded upon a rock
Was swallowed up in the earthquake shock.

### Trapped by an Heiress.

A cosier place than the big sitting-room at Hillcrest would have been hard to find. if one had traveled from Land's End to John O'Groat's; and this eventful evening, when the destines of two worthy people were about taking definite form—two people who had never seen each other, and who had heard of each other so often that both were curiously eager to meet—on this important evening the sitting-room at Hillcrest had never looked pleasanter or cosier.

A huge fire of logs glowed like molten carbuncles in the open fireplace; on the table in the centre of the floor, whose cover matched the glowing crimson of the carpet, was a silver stand that held a dozen snowy wax tapers, whose beaming light contrasted exquisitely with the ruddy glow of the fire.

Beside the table, in a big cushioned chair, with his feet thrust toward the genial warmth on the hearth, his grey dressing-gown sitting comfortably on his portly form, his gold-rimmed glasses on his nose, sat the owner and master of Hillcrest, Mr. Abiah Cressington, rich, good-natured, and fond of his own way. Opposite him was the mistress of the place—little, shrew-faced merry Aunt Cornelia, his sister, who, since her widowhood, has come to Hillcrest to make her bachelor brother's home as pleasant as she could.

That she had succeeded was evident by the way now in which he looked up from a letter he had been reading—the confidential, kindly way in which he did it.

"Walter writes a curious letter in response to my invitation to come and spend a few weeks at Hillcrest as soon as he gets over his fatigue from his ocean voyage home, after his five years' tour abroad. I'll read it to you"

He leaned over the softly-glowing light, and began the short, concise reply that Walter Austin had written from his chamber in the Temple:

"You are very kind, indeed, Uncle Abiah, to ask me down to Hillcrest for as long as I wish to stay, and I can assure you that I have been so long a wanderer that the idea of a home is very pleasant to me. But when I take into consideration the peculiar importance you propose attaching to my visit, I am unwilling to accept the invitation. To me the idea of having my fancies and inclinations put into harness, and to feel that I am on continual duty to win my way into the good graces of my second cousin, Mabel, whom you are good enough to wish me to marry—"

Mrs. Cornelia interrupted sharply—

"Abiah, you never went and told our grand-nephew that you had in view his marriage with Mabel?"

Her tone was energetic, almost reprehensive.

"Why not? I certainly did. I told him in my letter that it was a chance for him he'd never get again, and that he needn't feel under such terrible obligations to take a fancy to Phil's little Mabel, but to come down and be cousinly, and if anything should happen, it'd be right all around,

Mrs. Cornelia knitted vigorously, her lavender cap ribbons quivering in the mellow taper glow.

"All I have to say is, you're—a fool, Abiah! Walter is right. A young man doesn't like to have his fancies under rein and whip, and the very fact that we want him to marry will make him indisposed to do it. You've made a great mistake in the beginning."

Mr. Cressington looked aghast at his sister's determined face.

"Why, I really didn't suppose—"

"Of course you didn't. It's only your natural stupidity, you dear old fellow! Men are all alike. Don't I know them like a book? And you've ruined your hopes for Mabel and Walter at the very outset."

Mr. Cressington started discomfitedly.

"I am sure I mean it all right enough, Cornelia. I certainly wanted Walter to know what a little darling our Mabel is, and what a nice little wife she would make for any man."

"Very commendable, indeed; only, if you had consulted me upon the letter you send I should have advised you to say nothing about Mabel or her charms, or her expectations. I should have simply asked him to come and see us, and have left the rest to Mabel's blue eyes. You see now, Abiah?"

His lips compressed slowly.

"I think I see. And my hopes in that direction are all ruined."

The silver needles clicked rapidly, and the snow-white yarn came reeling merrily, off the ball under her arm.

"Not at all. Leave that to me, and I'll see what can be done. Trust a woman's wit to get even a blundering old fellow like yourself out of a scrape."

She smiled and nodded, and looked altogether so mischievous that Mr. Cressington became quite excited over her little mystery.

"Do explain, Cornelia."

And when she explained he leaned back in his chair, with an expression of positive awe and admiration on his face.

"What a woman you are, Cornelia! I declare, it beats anything I ever heard in the whole course of my life!"

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After dusk, a glorious winter day, with here and there a star twinkling in the pale gray sky, and the lights and fires in the Hillcrest sitting room making an eloquent welcome to Walter Austin, as he stood in the midst of the home circle, tall, gentle, manly, handsome and self-possessed.

Old Mr. Cressington was in his richest humor as he led forward two young girls.

'Come don't be shy now, Walter, this is your cousin, Mabel Cressington, and this is her good friend and inseparable companion Irene Vance, come to help to entertain you. My nephew, Mr. Walter Austin, girls. And this is Aunt Cornelia—you remember well enough, hey?"

And so the presentation was merrily gotten over, and Walter found himself at home in the most pleasant family he had ever known.

They were remarkably pretty girls, with deep blue eyes—although Miss Vance's were decidedly the deeper blue and more bewitching—and lovely, yellow-gold hair. Walter found himself admiring the style of Miss Vance's *coiffeur* before he had known her an hour; and when he went up to his room that night he felt as if between the two, roguish Mabel and sweet little Irene, he would never come out heart-whole.

"For Mabel is a good little darling," thought he, "and I will take Greatuncle Abiah's advice and fall in love with her, and thereby secure a generous share of the Cressington estate. Egad! that's a happy thought!

But the handsome young gentleman went to sleep and dreamed, instead of Mabel's laughing eyes, of Irene's gentle, tender ones; and awoke somewhere in the middle of the night, unable to get asleep again for thinking of her.

And the after days were not much better. Despite the golden value of Mabel, there was something about Irene Vance that made this headstrong fellow very foolishly indifferent to the advice he had sworn to follow

"Because, by Jove! a fellow would have to be made out of granite to resist the sweet shy ways of such a little darling as Irene! And I'll marry her if she'll have me, and the money and property may go to the—dogs. I've a head and a pair of hands, and blue-eyed Irene shall not suffer!"

It was not an hour later that he met her in the hall, carrying great boughs of holly, with which to festoon, down the walnut staircase.

"Give me your burden, Irene," said he. "Why did you not tell me you were going to gather it, and let me go with you? It is altogether too heavy a burden for your arms to bear."

He managed to get the lovely sprays from her arms, but it required an immense amount of tardy effort on his part, and shy, sweet blushing on her's.

"Answer me, Irene, Why didn't you let me go with you? Wouldn't you have liked it."

He demanded her answer in the most captivating, lordly way, and she dropped her eyes in great confusion.

"Y-e-s."

"Then why were you so cruel to me?"

"I am not cruel to anybody. Indeed I must go now."

Walter placed himself squarely in the way, and was looking down at her rose-tinted face.

"No, you can't go yet. Irene, you are cruel, or you would never deprive one of the opportunity to enjoy the blessedness of your society." His voice lowered tenderly, and he dropped his head nearer her golden curls. "You know I think it cruel in you to be so distant, and shy, and reserved with me—don't you, Irene?"

She shrank away, her lovely form drooping like a lily, her cheeks hanging out their signals of distress and confusion.

"Oh, please don't talk so to me. Indeed I must go! Mabel is waiting for the holly, and she—they won't like it if—"

But she was a prisoner in his tight clasp.

"If what? If they find you and me talking so confidentially together?"

"No! I mean if I don't take the holly at once."

Walter put his arm around her waist before she knew what he was doing.

"Irene, look up. You shall not go until you let me see in your eyes if you love me as well as I love you! Irene, my dear little girl, I do love you very dearly!"

She was silent for one second, and he saw the quiver of her red lips. Then she raised her head slowly, shyly.

"You love me? Oh, Walter, what will they all say? Don't you know it is Mabel you should say that to? I am nobody, and Mabel is an heiress."

Walter had both arms around her by this time, and was looking ardently in her glowing face.

"I know Mabel is an heiress, and a nice little girl, and I also know you are a darling, my darling—and the only girl I ever asked to be my wife, or ever shall ask! Say yes, pet!"

His tones were low and tender, but triumphant.

"And you can deliberately give up so much for only just me?"

Her wondrous eyes met his bravely now, and thrilled him with the love light in them.

"Only just you, my own darling! Why, you are more than all the world to me. Come, we will go tell Uncle Abian at once. Just one kiss first—you must!"

And he had more than one or two; before he led her, blushing, with tears trembling on her lashes, like diamonds of a golden thread, to Uncle Abiah, who sat in his library with Mrs. Cornelia, industriously looking over a receipt book. They looked up in surprise as Walter marched in, Irene on his arm, a picture of confusion.

"If you please, Uncle Abiah, I want your blessing and cordial consent to receive this little girl for your niece. I love her, and she loves me."

Uncle Abiah looked shrewdly over his glasses at Mrs. Cornelia.

"Well, sister, what shall we say to this youth's demand?"

A broad smile of perfect delight was on her merry face.

"Say? Why, tell them yes, and welcome; and let them know their Aunt Cornelia isn't a fool if their Uncle Abiah is."

Walter looked on astonished, and felt Irene's hand tremble on his arm.

"What is it, dear?"

She smiled through her tears as she looked into his inquiring eyes.

"Oh, Walter, I am afraid you will be angry. I am Mabel after all, and—and—"

"And you have made love to your cousin the heiress, in spite of yourself, my boy. So Hillcrest is a foregone fate, after all, eh?"

"Don't scold, please Walter!" Mabel pleaded, in a low voice, with her blue eyes looking into his.

"As if I could scold you, my love! Since I have you, what need I care?"

And Mrs. Cornelia turned over the leaves of the receipt-book until she came to "wedding cake," and avers that she made the match herself.

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Proud hearts and lofty mountains are always barren.

We should do good to an enemy and mak him our friend.

The heart ought to give charity, when the hand cannot.

Pride that dines on vanity sups on contempt.

### The Squirrel a Bold Leaper.

One reason doubtless, why squirrels are so bold and reckless in leaping through the trees is that if they miss their hold the fall will not hurt them. Every species of tree-squirrel seems to be capable of a sort of rudimentary flying—at least of making itself into a parachute, so as to ease or break a fall or a leap from a great height. The so-called flying-squirrel does this the most perfectly. It opens its furry vestments, leaps into the air, and sails down the steep incline from the top of one tree to the foot of the next as lightly as a bird. But other squirrel know the same trick, only their coat-skirts are not so broad. One day my dog treed a red squirrel in a tall hickory that stood in a meadow on the side of a steep hill. To see what the squirrel would do when closely pressed, I climbed the tree. As I drew near he took refuge in the topmost branch, and then, as I come on, he boldly leaped into the air, spread himself out upon it, and, with a quick, tremulous motion of his tail and legs, descended quite slowly and landed upon the ground thirty feet below me, apparently none the worse for the leap, for he ran with great speed and escaped the dog in another tree.

A recent American traveler in Mexico, gives a still more striking instance of this power of squirrels partially to neutralize the force of gravity when leaping or falling through the air. Some boys had caught a Mexican black squirrel nearly as large as a cat. It had escaped from them once, and, when pursued, had taken a leap of sixty feet from the top of a pine tree down upon the roof of a house without injury. This feat had led the grandmother of one of the boys to declare that the squirrel was bewitched, and the boys proposed to put the matter to further test by throwing the squirrel down a precipice six hundred feet high. Our traveler interfered, to see that the squirrel had fair play. The prisoner was conveyed in a pillow-slip to the edge of the cliff and the slip opened, so that he might have his choice whether to remain a captive or to take the leap. He looked down the awful abyss and then back and sidewise—his eyes glistening, his form crouching. Seeing no escape in any other direction, "he took a flying leap into space and fluttered rather than fell into the abyss below. His legs began to work like those of a swimming poodle-dog, but quicker and quicker, while his tail, slightly elevated, spread out like a feather fan. A rabbit of the same weight would have made the trip in about twelve seconds; the squirrel protracted it for more than half a minute," and "landed on a ledge of limestone, where we could see him plainly squat on his hind legs and smooth his ruffled plumage, after which he made for the creek with a flourish of his tail, took a good drink and scampered away into the willow thicket."

The story at first blush seems incredible, but I have no doubt our red squirrel would have made the leap safely; then why not the great black squirrel, since its parachute would be proportionately large?

The tails of the squirrels are broad and long and flat, not short and small like those of gophers, chipmunks, weasels, and other ground rodents, and when they leap or fall through the air the tail is arched and rapidly vibrates. A squirrel's tail, therefore, is something more than a flag; it not only aids him in flying, but it serves as a cloak, which he wraps about him when he sleeps. Thus some animals put their tails to various uses, while others seem to have no use for them whatever. What use for a tail has a wood-chuck, or a weasel, or a mouse? Has not the mouse yet learned that it could get in its hole sooner if it had no tail? The mole and the meadow-mouse have very short tails. Rats, no doubt, put their tails to various uses. The rabbit has no use for a tail—it would be in its way; while its manner of sleeping is such that it does not need a tail to tuck itself up with, as do the 'coon and the fox. The dog talks with his tail; the tail of the 'possum is prehensile; the porcupine uses his tail in climbing and for defense, the beaver as a tool or trowel; while the tail of the skunk serves as a screen behind which it masks its terrible battery.

### Wedding Fashions.

The old American fashion of the bridesmaids, with attendant cavaliers, entering the room or church arm in arm is entirely broken up, and the gentlemen ushers, who seat the company and who manage the business of the wedding in the church, are compelled to enter first, without the solace of a feminine hand on the coat sleeve. But this change is for the better.

A bride-elect begins, sometimes three months before her wedding day, to invite her bridesmaids, for there are dresses to be made and gifts selected. The groom chooses his best man and his ushers, of whom there are generally six. These gentlemen receive from him cravats and scarf-pins, and the groom frequently gives each bridesmaid a locket. The bride often gives each of her bridesmaids, of whom there are also generally six, some small token of her regard; but not, as formerly, her dress. Bouquets are always provided by the bride for her bridesmaids.

The church must be engaged for a fort night ahead, to avoid the gloomy catastrophe of meeting a funeral coming out, which has happened, and which is, of course, depressing. The clergyman and organist both need time to get themselves in order; and the florist who is to decorate the altar with fresh cut flowers and growing plants, also needs time; he also should have plenty of warning.

When the happy day arrives, the head usher goes to the church an hour before the time, to see that a white cord is stretched across the aisle, reserving pews enough for the family and particular friends, and to see, in fact, that all details are attended to.

The ushers should be in attendance early, to seat people in convenient places, and good manners and careful attentions, particularly to elderly people, make lifelong friends for these young gentlemen at the weddings where they officiate. When the bride's mother arrives, the white cord is dropped, and she is taken to the front seat; all the family friends take their places near her in adjoining pews.

Then the clergy come in and take their places at the altar, followed by the groom and his best man, who have been safely guarded in the vestryroom. The groom looks down the aisle to watch for his coming bride. The organ strikes up the wedding march as the first couple of ushers are seen entering the church door. They come in slowly, two and two, followed by the bridesmaids, who bear bouquets of one color.

Then the bride enters, leaning on her father's arm. A very pretty and becoming fashion is for the bride to wear her veil over her face, throwing it back at the altar; but this is a matter of taste.

The ushers part company, going to the right and left, and remain standing on the lower step of the altar. The bridesmaids also move to the right and left, next the altar rail, leaving a space for the couple who are to be married. The bride is taken by the hand by the groom, who receives her from her father as she mounts the first step.

The service then proceeds, the organ playing very softly until the prayer, when the music stops, and all join in the familiar words. Then the blessing is given, the clergyman congratulates the bride, and the young people turn to leave the church, followed by all the bridesmaids and ushers in reverse order.

Maids are in waiting in the vestibule to cloak the bride and her attendants as they come out from this pageant into the cold and dangerous air. This is a great exposure, and often leads to trouble; our churches all need larger vestibules. The bride and groom return to the house of the former, followed as quickly as possible by the bridesmaids, and stand to receive their friends under a floral bell, or a floral arch, or some other pretty device. The bridesmaids are ranged on either side, and the ushers (whose place is no sinecure) bring up the guests in order to present to the happy pair. The bride's mother, vacating the place of hostess for the nonce, stands at the other end of the room to talk to her friends, and to also receive their congratulations. Of course her own family are allowed to kiss the bride first.

The bride remains at her post an hour and a half, then leaves the room to ascend and dress for her bridal tour. She comes down in the quiet dress fitted for traveling in this country (where the bright blue velvets and shiny silks which are used in England for bridal trips are not allowed, probably owing to the fact that our railway trains are more public and less clean than those of the British Isle), and bids her friends good-bye. Getting into the carriage, followed by the groom, the young pair are driven off under a shower of rice and slippers, which are thrown after them for luck.

### How the Russian Keeps Warm.

The Russians have a great nack of making their winter pleasant. You feel nothing of the cold in those tightly built houses where all doors and windows are doubled, and where the rooms are kept warm by big stoves hidden in the walls. There is no damp in a Russian house, and the inmates may dress indoors in the lightest of garbs, which contrast oddly with the mass of furs and wraps which they don when going out. A Russian can afford to run no risk of exposure when he leaves the house for a walk or drive. He covers his head and ears with a fur bonnet, his feet and legs with felt boots lined with wool or fur, which are drawn over the ordinary boots and trousers, and reach up to the knees; he next cloaks himself in a top coat with fur collar, lining and cuffs, he buries his hands in a pair of fingerless gloves of seal or bear-skin. Thus equipped, and with the collar of his coat raised all around so that it muffles him up to the eyes, the Russian exposes only his nose to the cold air; and he takes care frequently to give that organ a little rub to keep the circulation going. A stranger, who is apt to forget the precaution, would often get his nose frozen if it were not for the courtesy of the Russians, who will always warn him if they see his nose "whitening," and will, unbidden, help him to chafe it vigorously with snow. In Russian cities walking is just possible for men during winter but hardly so for ladies. The women of the lower order wear knee boots; those of the shopkeeping class seldom venture out at all; those of the aristocracy go out in sleighs. The sleighs are by no means pleasant vehicles for nervous people, for the Kalmuck coachmen drive them at such a terrific pace that they frequently capsize; but persons not destitute of pluck find their motion most enjoyable. It must be added that to be spilled out of a Russian sleigh is tantamount only to getting a rough tumble out of a soft mattress, for the very thick furs in which the victim is sure to be wrapped will be enough to break the fall. The houses and hovels of Russian working-classes are as well warmed as those of the aristocracy. A stove is always the principal item of furniture in them, and these conveniences are used to sleep on as well as cook in. The moujick, having no bed, curls himself up on his stove at his time for going to rest. Sometimes he may be found creeping right into the stove and enjoying the delights of a vapor bath.

### Waste Materials from Towns.

Nearly every farmer goes to the nearest village to trade, visit a mechanic, or obtain his letters and papers, at least once a week. He often takes a load to market, but he rarely brings one home. He can, with very little trouble, haul a load of material that may be obtained for nothing, and which will be of great benefit to his land. Most village people make no use of the ashes produced in their stoves or of the bones taken from the meat they consume. Scarcely any brewer has any use for the hops that have been boiled in his vats, and the blacksmith hardly ever saves the clippings he takes from the feet of horses. All these materials make excellent manure. A barrel of shavings cut from the hoofs of horses, contains more ammonia than is contained in a load of stable manure. Applied to land without preparation, they might give no immediate results, but they would become decomposed in time, and crops of all kinds would derive benefit from them. They may be so treated that they would produce immediate results. By covering them with fresh horse manure they will decompose very rapidly. They may also be leached in a barrel and the water that covered them drawn off and applied to plants. Water in which pieces of horns and hoofs have been soaked is an excellent manure for plants that require forcing. It stimulates the growth of tomatoes, rose bushes, and house plants very rapidly, and emits no offensive odors. A vast amount of fertilizing material is wasted in towns that farmers could obtain the benefit of with very little trouble

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Our ideas, like pictures, we made up of lights and shadows.

### I'll Take a Gross.

While the proprietor of the Maison Doree, New York, was standing behind the counter the other day, catching flies for currant cake, and wishing that a little of the business wave that the Eastern papers say so much about would slop over into his restaurant, as it were, a young man, with a beaming smile on his face and a big box under his arm entered.

"Don't want any sleeve-buttons, nor nothin'," growled the dyspepsia distributer, glancing at the box.

"No, nor I," said the stranger, affably, depositing the box on the counter, and removing the lid. "But what you do want is the greatest invention of recorded time—the restaurant keeper's friend—the boarding house keeper's salvation!"

"Roach poison?" said the steak stretcher contemptuously.

"No, sir," retorted the young man, taking a handful of singularly-shaped objects out of the box. "Something that beats the phonograph and the telephone all hollow. I refer to the "Skidmore chop!"

"What's that?"

"Why, it's the most economical device of modern times, and I'll prove it right here. Suppose you are serving a dinner to say a dozen persons? Now, how many chops do you usually put on the table?"

"Well, about two apiece, say twelve,"

"And how many are eaten?"

"Hum! about four."

"Exactly—that is about the average, as our restaurant statistics show. As a matter of course, however, you are compelled to cook three times as much as you need to make a show. Now, if you could save six chops every dinner for a year it would amount to—"

"A fortune," said the man of cutlets eagerly. "All we can do with 'em now is to work 'em over into hashes."

"Peace to your hashes," said the agent; "all this ruinous waste is now prevented by the introduction of some dish of the patent Skidmore Indestructible Rubber Chop, put up in packages of one dozen, and warranted for five years, and the food economizer exhibited some life-like imitations of cooked mutton chops.

"Looks like a good scheme," said the conductor of stews, thoughtfully; "but don't the customer ever—"

"Ever tumble? Not in the least. He only notices that one chop is tougher than the other, and finally get his fork in and chews ahead. The smaller ones come higher, as they are made of a little more limber article of rubber, for lamb chops. Can't be told from the genuine by the naked eye. All you have to do is to grease 'em on both sides, warm 'em up a little, and serve them mixed in with the others same as usual."

"Seems like they are about as tender as the regulation kind," said the restauranter, jabbing one with a fork. "Don't they ever get eaten by mistake?"

"No—no—that is, not now. We did lose a few that way when introduced, but now that we make the material tougher it don't happen any more unless they will swallow them whole. Why, here's a specimen that's been in use in a Chicago eating saloon there for years, night and day, and you can't see the first tooth print in it yet."

"That settles it," said the restauranter, I'll take a gross."

"I thought you would," said the chop agent, as he took down the order and emphatically declined an invitation for some lunch. "I will drop around in a few days and show you samples of some soft, white rubber lobsters we are getting up especially for the country trade—make the best article of indestructible salad ever known," and he shouldered his box and walked off in the direction of Baldwin's Hotel.

### Washington's Breakfast.

"Is Mrs. Miller at home?"

"She is; walk in."

The modest little room into which the visitor was ushered contained another occupant, an elderly lady, who was doing some washing, and whom the visitor took for no other than Mrs. Miller herself.

"Is this Mrs. Miller?" he asked.

"Oh, no," said the elderly lady. "She's up stairs."

"Not sick?" said the visitor.

"No, not what you would call sick. She's been ailin' a good bit the last few days. She's gettin' old now."

"Is it true that she is a hundred and five years old?"

Both ladies smiled. "No," said the stout lady presently, "that's a mistake. She's only a hundred and four."

"So old as that?"

"Oh, yes; there's no mistake about it. The record of her birth is in her Bible. She was born in 1777.

The visitor was invited up, and, entering a neat bed-room, saw an elderly lady sitting up in bed, with a white cap on and waiting an introduction.

In the course of the opening conversation the visitor remarked: "I've been told that you are a hundred and five years old. Is it so?"

"No," said the old lady, emphatically; "it isn't true; I'm only a hundred and four years old."

"And it's been said that you met George Washington?"

"I cooked Washington's breakfast for him once," said the old lady, unconcernedly, "and after that I put bread and butter in his satchel and he left our house and went off to fight and gained the day."

"This is true," said the other old lady, nodding; "she has told us that many a time."

"Yes," went on Mrs. Miller; "I never shall forget that time I got him his breakfast. I got him such a nice breakfast, pie, dried beef and things like that, and when he came to the table the poor old soul couldn't eat anything but bread and butter. He said it would make him sick. I never shall forget that time."

"Tell about the prayin' in the thorn bush as you've told us many a time," said one of the other women.

"Oh," said the old lady, "I'll never forget that either. We heard him prayin' first thing in the morning an' didn't know what it was. And old Daddy Hines, the man that I lived with, said he would go out and see what it was, and he went out and there he saw Washington kneeling down behind a thorn bush near the stable, and with his Bible open before him a-prayin.'"

"Daddy Hines waited till he was through prayin', then he invited him into the house. And when he went away from our house he gained the day."

"But tell what happened when he came into the house?"

"Why, when he came in," said the old lady, "Daddy Hines asked him, 'Why didn't you come in the house and stay all night?' he said. And Washington said: 'Oh, well, I was so tired I just went into the barn last night and I fell down on a pile of hay, and I haven't slept so good for months as I slept there.'"

"Then what did he do?" asked the first old lady.

"Then," said the former acquaintance of Washington, "he sat down to breakfast, but the poor old soul couldn't eat anything but bread and butter, for fear of it making him sick and keepin' him from gainin' the day.

After breakfast I packed his satchel. I got pies an' dried beef in it an' he made me take 'em out. He said: 'Oh, my dear child, I daren't eat anything like that; It would make me sick. I can only eat bread and butter. So I had to take them all out and put in bread and butter. I felt so sorry for the poor old soul that he couldn't eat anything else. After that he came in toward Philadelphia, where his soldiers were on a high hill.

"And did you ever see him after that?"

"No, but I attended his mock funeral at Pottstown when he died. It was a grand funeral."

"What hill was it where his men could shoot down so nice?" asked the first old lady.

"The hill," said the second old lady, "where he gained the day."

All further questioning failed to elicit the fact of the location of the hill, the old lady's invariable answer and her nearest clue to it being always the same—"the place where he gained the day." Upon further conversation it was also learned that she had two venerable pictures, one of Washington, and one of his wife, in the form of prints, which had been taken shortly after the revolutionary war. These pictures the old lady stated she had given to her physician, Dr. Evans, of Seventeenth and Pine streets, who had expressed some admiration for them.

"If you go to Dr. Evans, he'll show them to you," said the second old lady.

A visit was then made to Dr. Evans. On the walls of his office hung the identical prints with Washington in snowy cravat and powdered hair and his wife with high Elizabethan collar and a stately bodice—the old cracked frames showing that the pictures belonged to no present age.

The doctor's account of Mrs. Miller was that he had known her for five years and that within the last few months her memory had been falling. "There can be no doubt," said he, "but 104 years is her right age and that she has seen Washington. I have seen the record of her birth in her Bible. She was born in 1777. She has been married twice, both husbands and her first child being dead. But her second child is upwards of 70 years old. She was born in Essex township, Berks county."

The old lady's unusual age is evidently a matter of secondary importance to her. A few months ago, her physican relates, he called on her and found her complaining of not feeling well. Knowing that she was addicted to taking snuff the doctor jokingly remarked.

"See here old lady, the trouble with you is that you use too much snuff. You ought to break yourself of that habit, for it may cause your death one of these days."

"No, doctor," said the old lady; shaking her head, "it isn't the snuff. When I was a little girl they made me work hard on the farm, load on hay and grain in harvest time, and it's that that's breakin' me down at this age."

### Dead Square

The boys were sitting around in Vic. Muller's saloon, Carson City, talking about hard times, and of course their conversation drifted into the stock market, and the reporter untied his ears and took notes.

'Don't talk to me about stocks,' said a little red-headed man. 'If a man was to give me a point in the d— strap game I'd hit him right in the nose. I've sworn off.'

'That's the business,' said another approvingly.

'Ever since I came to this country,' said the first speaker, 'I've been buckin' at the game right along, losin' all the while. Stock dealin' is the slickest combination ever cooked up to rake a man's pocket. Highway robbery's not a circumstance. If I was to go down into Sierra Nevada and see a cross-cut 200 feet long runnin' slap bang into a solid body of gold 999 fine, and when I come out if a man was to offer me a thousand shares for my old hat here, bust me wide open if I wouldn't belt him on the head with a brick and freeze to the hat. If I ever get taken in again it's my fault.'

The red-headed man walked off, leaving the crowd much impressed, and at the street corner he overheard a man say to another:

'She's a buy; you bet your boots she's a buy.'

'What's that?' said the bear, pricking up his ears.

'I was just sayin' that Sierra Nevada was a buy.'

'Really think so?'

'The boys are taking in all the stock they can get on Pine street.'

'You don't say so!'

'Fair's got the control of the tunnel!'

'. he devil!'

'Mackay's come back from Europe,'

'Holy Moses!'

'They've run a diamond drill into the two thousand, and she's richer'n hot mush. The true business rolled in sand. This is dead square—'

The red-headed man heard no more, but inside of fifteen minutes he was in a lawyer's office getting him to fix the papers for a mortgage on his house so that he could take a thousand shares on a margin before the next board.

### Chocolate.

For those who wish to keep the imagination fresh and vigorous, chocolate is the beverage of beverages. However copiously you have lunched, a cup of chocolate immediately afterward will produce digestion three hours after, and prepare the way for a good dinner It is recommended to every one who devotes to brain-work the hours he should pass in bed; to every wit who finds he has become suddenly dull, to all who finds the air damp, the time long, and the atmosphere insupportable; and, above all, to those who, tormented with a fixed idea, have lost their freedom of thought. To make chocolate (it must never be cut with a knife) an ounce and a half is requisite for a cup. Dissolve it gradually in hot water, stirring it the while with a wooden spoon; let it boil for a quarter of an hour, and serve it hot with milk or without, according to taste.

# The Millheim Journal.

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## Church & Sunday School Directory.

**Evangelical.**

*P. C. Weidemyer and J. M. Dick, preachers.*
Rev. J. M. Dick will preach next Sunday evening.
Sunday School, 2 P. M.—M. I. Jamison, supt.

**Methodist.**

*Rev. J. Benson Akers, Preacher-in-charge.*
Sunday School at 1½ P. M.—D. A. Musser, supt.

**Reformed.**

*Rev. C. W. E. Siegel, Pastor.*
English preaching in Aaronsburg next Sunday afternoon.

**United Brethren.**

*Rev. Tallhelm, Preacher-in-charge.*
Rev. Tallhelm, of Bellefonte, will preach next Sunday morning.

**Lutheran.**

*Rev. John Tomlinson, Pastor.*—
Preaching in Millheim next Sunday afternoon, and in Aaronsburg in the evening.

**United Sunday School.**

Meets at 9 A. M.—H. E. Duck, supt.

## Lodge & Society Directory.

Millheim Lodge, No. 955, I. O. O. F. meets in their hall, Penn Street, every Saturday evening.
Rebecca Degree Meeting every Thursday on or before the full moon of each month.
A. O. DEININGER, Sec. R. A. BUMILLER, N. G.

Providence Grange, No. 217 P. of H., meets in Alexander's block on the second Saturday of each month at 6½ P. M., and on the fourth Saturday of each month at 1½ P. M.
D. L. ZERBY, Sec. A. O. Deininger, Master.

The Millheim B. & L. Association meets in the Penn street school house on the evening of the second Monday of each month.
A. WALTER, Sec. B. O. DEININGER, Prest.

The Millheim Cornet Band meets in the Town Hall on Monday and Thursday evenings.
F. P. OTTO, Sec., J. P. HARTER, Pres't.

## Democratic County Committee.

The following persons have been named as members of the Democratic County Committee for 1881.

| | |
|---|---|
| Bellefonte, W. W | Nicholas Redding. |
| Bellefonte, N. W | Charles Schrader. |
| Bellefonte, S. W | Samuel Brown, Jr. |
| Milesburg | O P Kreamer. |
| Millheim | D L Zerby. |
| Unionville | A Toner Leathers. |
| Howard | George Wistar. |
| Philipsburg | A J Graham. |
| Beaver | Jerry Roan. |
| Boggs | James A McClain. |
| Burnside | Oscar Holt. |
| Curtin | John McClosky. |
| College | Jacob Bottorf. |
| Ferguson, old | John T. McCormick. |
| Ferguson, new | Miles Walker. |
| Gregg, south | Henry Krumrine, Sr. |
| Gregg, north | James Duck. |
| Halfmoon | John Ward. |
| Haines | Solomon Ettlinger. |
| Harris | John A Rupp. |
| Howard | John A Dunkle. |
| Huston | Henry Hale. |
| Liberty | W H Gardner. |
| Marion | Perry Condo. |
| Miles | Samuel K Faust. |
| Patton | John Reed. |
| Penn | Chr st Alexander. |
| Potter, north | John Shannon. |
| Potter, south | James McClintic. |
| Rush | John Donlan. |
| Snow Shoe | Abel Campbell. |
| Spring | John Noll. |
| Taylor | William Calderwood. |
| Union | S K Emerick. |
| Walker | Ambrose McMullen. |
| Worth | Marshall Lewis. |

P. GRAY MEEK,
Bellefonte, Pa., Feb 1. Chairman

### Announcements of Candidates.

The following is our scale of charges for the announcement of candidates for nomination by the ensuing Democratic county convention—strictly cash in advance: Sheriff, Prothonotary and Treasurer—$5 each; Associate Judge and Register—$4 each; Commissioner and Recorder—$3 each; Auditor—$1. Candidates must pledge themselves to support the ticket nominated.

TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce that D. C. KELLER, of Potter township, is a candidate for the office of Treasurer, subject to Democratic rules.

SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce that JOHN B. LEATHERS, of Howard township, is a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to Democratic rules.

We are authorized to announce that THOMAS J. DUNKEL, of Rush township, is a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to Democratic rules.

We are authorized to announce that JOHN COLDREN, of Gregg township, is a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to Democratic rules.

PROTHONOTARY.

We are authorized to announce that J. C. HARPER, is a candidate for the office of Prothonotary, subject to Democratic rules.

ASSOCIATE JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce that JOHN RISHEL, of Potter township, is a candidate for the office of Associate Judge, subject to Democratic rules.

COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce that JOHN HOY, Jr., of Marion township, is a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, subject to Democratic rules.

RECORDER.

We are authorized to announce that FRANK E. BIBLE, of Spring township, is a candidate for the office of Recorder, subject to Democratic rules.

## Conkling on Garfield.

Ex-Senator Conkling recently expressed himself very freely and very bitterly as well, over President Garfield. It may be that Garfield has fully as much contempt for Conkling, as Conkling possibly can have for the President, but he never did give his feelings in such pointed and stinging language as did the senator. It was on the occasion of a caucus of Republican Senators that Conkling gave expression substantially to the following words:

In regard to his personal relations to Mr. Garfield, Conkling alleged that the President had made him certain pledges which he had violated at the first opportunity. He went into the minutest details in regard to these broken promises. Not to put too fine a point upon it Mr. Conkling undertook to prove that Mr. Garfield had lied wilfully and deliberately and forfeited the respect due from one gentleman to another. Several new facts relative to th conference known as the "Treaty of Mentor" were mentioned, of such a private nature that they are not to be disclosed except with the permission of the President. Mr. Conkling said only the circumstances which had driven him into his unpleasant position could have induced him to repeat these private insurances. He had trusted in them and he had been deceived in the most inexcusable manner.

Whether Congling's charges against the President are true or not the public has no means of knowing. The above however shows the high regard our great Republican leaders have for each other.

GIVE the South a chance. Let the politicians accord her "a breathing time of day," amid this surfeit of talk about her want of enterprise and energy. The fact is she is making rapid strides in manufacturing. Cotton factories are going up; furnaces being erected; iron and coal are being largely mined. Take West Virginia and one or two others as specimens of the whole. Since the last census the State has increased her metal production over last year's from 72,000 to 157,000 tons; Alabama has increased hers 752 per cent; Georgia hers 265 per cent; Tennessee hers 125 per cent; Kentucky hers 43 per cent. North Carolina would have also increased hers but for the want of roads reaching into the iron country.—*Ex.*

The Sunbury Democrat reminds us that "politics makes strange bed-fellows. Last fall it was the rebel brigadiers that came in for a full share of Republican abuse for being in control of the Democratic party. Now the scale is turned, and if there ever was a time when the rebel element controled the legislative department of this government it is now, when the rebel brigadier and "boss" repudiator from Virginia, General Mahone, by his vote, gives the Republicans, with the casting vote of the Vice President, the control of the United States Senate. There is not a Republican paper in the land to-day that has a word to say about rebel brigadiers other than in their praise. An unrepentant, red-handed rebel is a good fellow when he trains with the Republican party."

### Gould, the King of Monopolists.

When the Supreme Court of the United States sustained the Constitutionality of the celebrated Thurman bill, which compelled the Pacific railroads to pay millions of dollars into the Federal Treasury they had withheld from the go vernment, Gould declared that not only Thurman, but also Wallace, of this State, McDonald, of Indiana, Kernan, of New York, and Randolph, of New Jersey, who had ably sustained Thurman in the Senate, should also be defeated. With the aid of the Republican party he made his threat good. At the same time he largely contributed to the election of Garfield for what reason the public may infer when they see him dictating an appointment to the Supreme bench. Gould unblushingly testified before a Congressional committee of investigation that he had contributed immense sums of money to defeat certain candidates for Congress and elect others. He is supposed to be able to command majorities in both Houses of the newly elected Congress, he holds the President in his grip, and has made a fair start towards fastening his talons upon the Supreme Court of the nation. Can it be said, then, with truth, that we have not kings in America as well as upon the other continents of the earth? If the Radical party is not gotten out of power we will soon have them in name as well as in fact in the United States. —*Clinton Democrat.*

In less than three months President Garfield has most admirably succeeded to prove to the country that he is the merest trading politician without even a streak of the statesman in him. He has already thoroughly distracted and divided the Republican party and his entire administration promises to be a turbulent and stormy one. The better class of Republicans are beginning to see what a small man they have elevated to the Presidency. But that is no t usiness of ours and they are entitled to all the credit they can make out of it.

All but twelve States will in the future holy their State elections in November on the same day at the general election for President. Four States, Colorado, Georgia, Ohio, and West Virginia, vote in October; California, Maine, and Vermont in September; Alabama and Kentucky in August; Oregon in June; Louisiana in May, and Rhode Island in April.

An extra session of the U. S. Senate adjourned *sine die* on Saturday last. The session was remarkable for its bitter quarrels over the nominations of President Garfield. Some very discreditable appointments—notably that of Stanley Matthews for Supreme Judge—were confirmed, while that of Wm. E. Chandler, for Solicitor General, was very properly rejected.

The star route contractors who are now being pushed to the wall are said to have given $40,000 in a lump to carry Indiana for Garfield's party last October. Naturally they cannot understand what kind of a reformer this man James is.

The Democrats of Virginia have called their State Convention for August 4. The State Committee met at Richmond on Wednesday of last week, and its members were very sanguine of success in the coming contest against Mahone and the Radicals.

## WASHINGTON LETTER.

Washington, D. C., May 22, '81.

Adjournment was reached yesterday, nearly all the Presidential nominations having been previously acted upon and all but one confirmed. The one politician who was so bad that no Democrat would vote for him even to oblige the administration was Wm. E. Chandler, nominated for the position of Solicitor General. Being a lawyer without experience and an unscrupulous politician who would have made of his place a beureau for misrepresentation and oppression of the south for political effect. The Democrats very cordially united to defeat him. Chandler was not by any means the only one who ought to have been beaten, for the lot was not a very creditable one, and several men named were conspicously unfit for the positions assigned them, or any other position, and the Senate Democrats have a kindly feeling for the President and let him have his way.

The sensation of the week was of course the resignation of the New York Senators. It was a very important event. Administration men at first looked upon it as simply an exhibition of spite, and a confession of defeat on the part of Senator Conkling. They are rapidly changing their minds on the subject. Mr. Conkling has not that kind of strength which makes him a hurrah candidate for a Presidential nomination, and he is not an agreeable man in his ordinary intercourse with others. But a newspaper man has lived to little real purpose in Washington who has not discovered that for four or five years past Conkling has steadily gained in influence and in the respect of his fellow legislators while others of less solid but more "popular" ways have as steadily lost. Mr. Conkling in or out of office, is today the ablest and most influential man in the Republican party, and has a capacity for mischief which I am glad to believe will not hereafter be exercised so free ly or at least so effectualy in the interests of the Republican party and against the restoration of good feeling between the northern and southern people. There is a half official statement to-day that the president will at once make a great many appointments—three hundred or more. He can appoint in the absence of the Senate. I have not learned why the appointments were delayed until after adjournment. The superintendent of the Census Gen. T. A. Walker, will enter upon other duties this fall. The General is one of the original Republican civil service reformers, and the only one of them, so far as I can recall their names who did not abandon the idea like Grant or betray it like Schurz, or carry it to absurd lengths like Curtis. Gen. Walker's census work is the best ever done, and I don't believe he has refused or given employment to a single man because of the man's politics.

CARROLL.

Crops are growing wonderfully since Conkling and his lieutenant Platt have resigned. Garfield, Cameron, Mitchell and the whole posse of them might follow the good example of Conkling with much profit to the country.

It costs the government about seven dollars to carry each letter over some of the Star routes in New Mexico and and this is what is called "developing the country"—under Republican rule.

Col. Thomas A. Scott, the great Pennsylvania rail road king, died at his residence near Philadelphia on Saturday the 21st inst., aged seventy years.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.—Letters testamentary on the estate of Amos Alexander late of the Borough of Millheim, Centre county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themseves indebted to said estate are hereby requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

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J. R. ALEXANDER,
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## L. C. & S. C. RAIL ROAD.

TRAINS LEAVE WESTWARD.

| | 1 A. M. | 3 A. M. | 5 P. M. | 7 P. M. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Montandon | 7.00 | 9.45 | 2.20 | 6.45 |
| Lewisburg | ar 7.15 | 10.00 | 2.35 | 7.00 |
| Lewisburg | lv 7.25 | | | |
| Fair Ground | 7.30 | 10.06 | 2.40 | |
| Biehl | 7.41 | 10.21 | 2.51 | |
| Vicksburg | 7.47 | 10.30 | 2.57 | |
| Mifflinburg | 8.03 | 10.51 | 3.13 | |
| Millmont | 8.25 | 11.20 | 3.35 | |
| Laurelton | 8.35 | ar 11.35 | 3.46 | |
| Wicker Run | 9.00 | | 4.11 | |
| Cherry Run | 9.17 | | 4.30 | |
| Fowler | 9.27 | | 4.50 | |
| Coburn | 9.48 | | 5.02 | |
| Spring Mills | 10.15 | | ar 5.30 | |

TRAINS LEAVE EASTWARD.

| | 2 A. M. | 4 A. M. | 6 P. M. | 8 P. M. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Montandon | ar 6.50 | ar 9.30 | ar 1.20 | ar 6.30 |
| Lewisburg | 6.35 | 9.15 | 1.05 | 6.15 |
| Fair Ground | | 9.10 | 1.09 | 6.10 |
| Biehl | | 9.01 | 12.48 | 6.00 |
| Vicksburg | | 8.56 | 12.42 | 5.55 |
| Mifflinburg | | 8.43 | 12.25 | 5.40 |
| Millmont | | 8.25 | 12.02 | 5.20 |
| Laurelton | | 8.15 | 11 50 | 5.10 |
| Wiker Run | | 7.48 | | 4.47 |
| Cherry Run | | 7.31 | | 4.30 |
| Fowler | | 7.10 | | 4.10 |
| Coburn | | 6.58 | | 4.00 |
| Spring Mills | | 6.30 | | 3.30 |

Trains Nos. 1 and 2 connect at Montandon with Erie Mail west for Williamsport, Lock Haven, Kane, Corry and Erie, and Buffalo and Niagara Falls via Emporium, also Elmira, Watkins, Buffalo and Niagara Falls via Canandaigua.

Nos. 3 and 4 connect with Pacific Express east for Harrisburg, Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia and New York.

Nos. 5 and 6 connect with Day Express east for Harrisburg, Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia and New York, and Niagara Express west for Williamsport, Lock Haven and Renovo, Tyrone, Altoona and Pittsburg via Lock Haven, also Elmira, Watkins and Buffalo, and Niagara Falls via Canandaigua.

Nos. 7 and 8 connect with Fast Line west for Williamsport and Lock Haven.

No. 8 also connects with Erie Mail east for Harrisburg, Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia and New York.

## PENNSYLVANIA RAIL ROAD.

Philadelphia & Erie R. R. Div.

*WINTER TIME TABLE.*

On and after SUNDAY, Nov 27th, 1880, the trains on the Philadelphia & Erie Railroad Division will run as follows:

WESTWARD.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| ERIE MAIL leaves | Philadelphia | 11 55 p. m. |
| " | " Harrisburg | 4 25 a. m. |
| " | " Williamsport | 8 40 a. m. |
| " | " Jersey Shore. | 9 09 a. m. |
| " | " Lock Haven. | 9 40 a. m. |
| " | " Renovo | 11 05 a .m |
| " | arr. at Erie | 7 45 p. m. |
| NIAGARA EXP. leaves | Philadelphia | 9 00 a. m. |
| " | " Harrisburg | 12 15 p. m. |
| " | arr. at Williamsport | 3 15 p. m. |
| " | " Lock Haven. | 4 20 p. m. |
| FAST LINE leaves | Philadelphia | 12 20 p. m. |
| " | " Harrisburg | 4 00 p. m. |
| " | arr. at Williamsport | 7 55 p. m. |
| " | " Lock Haven | 9 10 p. m. |

EASTWARD.

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|---|---|---|
| PACIFIC EXP. leaves | Lock Haven.. | 7 05 a. m. |
| " | " Jersey Shore.. | 7 37 a. m. |
| " | " Williamsport . | 8 20 a. m. |
| " | arr. at Harrisburg ... | 12 05 p. m. |
| " | " Philadelphia. | 3 45 p. m. |
| DAY EXPRESS leaves | Lock Haven.. | 11 25 a. m. |
| " | " Williamsport | 12 25 p. m. |
| " | arr. at Harrisburg .. | 3 40 p. m. |
| " | " Philadelphia | 6 55 p. m. |
| ERIE MAIL leaves | Renovo | 9 00 p. m |
| " | " Lock Haven | 10 10 p. m. |
| " | " Williamsport | 11 30 p. m. |
| " | arr. at Harrisburg | 3 00 a. m. |
| " | " Philadelphia | 7 05 a. m. |
| FAST LINE leaves | Williamsport | 12 15 a. m. |
| " | arr. at Harrisburg | 3 15 a. m. |
| " | " Philadelphia | 7 05 a. m. |

Erie Mail West and Day Express East make close connections at Northumberland with L. & B. R. R. trains from Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

Erie Mail West, Niagara Express West and Fast Line West make close connection at Williamsport with N. C. R. W. trains north.

Niagara Express West and Day Express East make close connection at Lock Haven with B. E. V. R. R. trains.

Erie Mail East and West connect at Erie with trains on L. S. & M. S. R. R.; at Corry with O. C. & A. V. R. R. at Emporium with B. N. Y. & P. R. R., and at Driftwood with A. V. R. R.

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Pianos! Pianos! Pianos!
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Black half wool Cashmere, yard wide, 30c.
Black all wool Cashmere, yard wide, 40c.
Black all wool Cashmere, 42 inches wide, 50c.
DeBeiges, colored, 8c.
Delaines, half wool, colors, 12c.
Crepe Cloth, black and colored, 17c.
Momie cloth, cotton, 10c.
Momie cloth, wool, 17c.
Fancy Plaid Goods, all prices.
DeBeiges. all wool, yard wide, 40c
Chudda Cloth, all wool, 42 inches wide, 80c.

*SILK DEPARTMENT.*

Plain colored and black, 50c.
Dress Silks, colored and black, 70c.
Guinet black Silks, $1.12½ to $2.00.
Summer Silks, 50c.
Summer Silks, extra good, 65c.

*DOMESTIC DEPARTM'T.*

Pacific Cambrics, yard wide, 10c.
Lawns, good quality, 7c.
Madras Ginghams, 13c.
Apron Ginghams, Lancashire, 8½c.
Columbia Cheviot, light weight, 9c.
Furniture Cretonnes, 11c.

*LINEN DEPARTMENT.*

Linen Damask, 20c.
Linen Damask, gray, 25c.
Turkey Red Table covering, 50c.
Towels, from 5c to 75c.
Napkins, from 50c per doz.

*CARPET DEPARTMENT.*

Ingrain, cotton mixed, 25c.
Ingrain, extra heavy. 30c.
Ingrain, half wool, 47c.
Ingrain, all wool, 60c.
Ingrain, extra super, 80c.

*FANCY GOODS DEP'T.*

Children's Lace Caps, 35c.
Children's Lace Caps, ex. fine, 50c.
India Mull Ties, 10c.
Dr. Warner's Cross Boned Hip Corset, sole agency, only 90c.
Dr. Warner's Adjustable Flexible Hip Corset, for $1.25.
Ladies' Gauze Vests, 24c.
Children's Gauze Vests, 12½c.

*MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.*

Chemises, Lace trimming, 50c.
Chemises, Emb'y trimming, 75c.
Chemises, Emb'y trimming, extra fine, $1.00. Drawers to match.
Night Gowns, plain, 75c.
Night Gowns, Emb'y trimming, $1.00.
Skirts, good Muslin, 50c.
Skirts, tucked and ruffled, 75c.

*NOTION DEPARTMENT.*

Lace top Gloves for 25c.
Lisle Thread Gloves, only 10c.
Silk Lace Mitts, 50c.
Fans, new style, from 1 cent up.
Fringes and Gimps, all prices.
All new patterns in Laces.

*GENTS' FURNISHING*

Straw Hats from 4c up.
Summer Undershirts from 15c up.
Calico Shirts with collars, ready for use, 25c up.
The best unlaundered white Shirt in America for $1.00. Call for the Owl Shirt.
The Bee Hive Overall, 'our own make,' the best fitting overall in the world, made out of the best material and every pair warranted not to rip, $1.00
White Shirts as low as 49c.

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Originators of the One Price System,

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**Millinery, Ribbons, Silks & Satins, Dress Trimmings, Fancy Goods, Notions, Ladies' & Gents' Furnishing Goods, Black Walnut and Velvet Picture Frames,** &c. &c. &c. &c. &c.

**Please compare our Price List as follow**

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|---|---|---|---|
| Germantown Wool, | cts. per oz | Knitting Cotton, | 5 cts. per ball |
| Zephyr, | cts. per oz | Gents' Paper Collars, | 10 cts per box |
| Saxony & Shetland Wool, | 12 cts per oz. | Children's Hose, | from 5 cts per pr. |
| | | Ladies' Linen Collar, | 6¼ cts. each. |
| 200 yds Spool Cotton, | 15 cts. per doz | 3-Button Best Black Kid Glove, | every pair warranted, $1 per pair. |
| Needles, | cts. per paper | Real Hair Switches, | from 75 cts. up |
| Pins, 14 rows, | cts. per paper | Fine Cambric Hdk, | 6 for 25 cts. |
| Pearl Dress Button, | 5 cts. per doz. | 24 sheets paper and 24 envelopes, | 8 cts. a box |
| White Shirt Button, | 5 cts. per gross | Best Alpaca Skirt Brail, | 5 cts. |
| Cotton Edge Trimmings, | 12 yds., 10 cts. per doz. yds. | | |
| Hamburg Edgings, | from 1 ct per yd. | | |

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Wool square & long Shawls, Broche, Paisley, and Black Cashmere Shawls, all wool & **SKIRTS, CLOTHS,** Cassimeres, Tweeds, Jeans, Seitings,
Red, white and plaid Flannels, Linsey, Bleached and Unbleached as well as colored COTTON LANNELS, DOMESTIC GOODS, Muslins Sheetings, Table Linens, Towlings, &c.

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Tapestry, Brussels, all wool extra super Ingrain Carpets, also a fine assortment and the most beautiful designs in cheap carpets, besides Hall and Stair Carpet to match. Floor and Table Oil Cloths, Window Shading and Curtain fixtures. Butter, Eggs, Lard, Bacon and Wool taken in exchange for goods. If you desire bargains don't forget the place,

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The Millheim Journal.

THURSDAY, MAY 26., '81.

DEININGER & BUMILLER,
Editors and Proprietors.

## Local Department.

—It is said that the new style spring bonnet is just a little too sweet for anything.

—Miss Annie Buckler was elected county superintendent of Potter county on the 3rd inst.

—Next Monday is Decoration Day, but it is doubtful whether it will strike Millheim this year.

—S. D. Musser, collector of school taxes, hereby gives notice that all such taxes not paid by June 1st next will be promptly collected by levy and sale.

—It is said that diphtheria never enters a house where coffee is roasted. The theory is that the aroma arising from roasting coffee destroys the germs of the disease.

—No remedy in the world ever came into such universal use, or has so fully won the confidence of mankind, as Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for the cure of Coughs, Colds and Consumption.

—Clinton county has two Associate Judges, three Commissioners, a Sheriff, a Treasurer to elect next fall, and strange say there are plenty of candidates for each one of the places.

—It affords a real pleasure even only to see the large and splendid stock of clothing at the Philadelphia Branch Store, Bellefonte, Pa. Now just try it for your own satisfaction.

—Mr. Daniel Heiser, of Lewisburg, formerly of this place, has been appointed mail agent on the Lewisburg & Tyrone R. R., vice Mr. Beale. We do not know whether the latter resigned or was removed.

LAWN MOWERS.—We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of the Hills Archimedean Lawn Mower Co., of Hartford, Conn., in another column. They claim to have the best Lawn Mowers in the market, and their claim is not disputed.

—At the last meeting of the directors of Pine Station Camp Meeting Association it was resolved to hold a camp meeting, commencing Tuesday, Aug. 23d, to continue nine days; tents can be secured by addressing Mr. J. Stamm, Pine Station, Pa., at any time.

—If you want an extra fine article in the line of tooth powder—and every body should use such an article—Dr. John F. Harter is the man to supply you. We have tried it and know wherof we speak. tf

—Mr. John Coldren of Gregg township, announces himself in to-day's Journal as a candidate for Sheriff. Mr. Coldren is one of Penns valley's best citizens, and if successful will certainly fill the office with credit.

—The most artistic and altogether the best piece of work in the shape of a monument ever put up in Penns Valley, was last week erected at the grave of Daniel Mosser, in Boalsburg. It was built at the popular Millheim Marble Works, by Deininger & Musser.

—Hon. W. K. Alexander left us on Monday morning for Texas. His object as far as we could learn is to take a good look of the Lone Star state, with one eye, and keep the other one open to business of some kind. Hope his talents and business capacity may find a fruitful field out there.

—THE EXCELSIOR DYE WORKS at Lewisburg turns out first class work. Shawls, dresses and men's garments will be colored and pressed in best style. Mr. Jacob Wolf is agent for Centre county. Goods left at the Journal office will be attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed. tf

—Nearly all last week we had continued rains, but they were mostly of a gentle kind. Their effect on vegetation is wonderful, and old earth seems never to have been dressed in a garb of such exquisite beauty as now. It appears as though Providence intended to shower down his blessings in rich profusion upon his disobedient, naughty children.

—Mr. John Rishel, of Potter township, brightened our sanctum the other day with the smiles of his pleasant, benevolent face. Mr. R. is known to many of our citizens as a man of positive qualities standing and integrity—and good looking as need be. He announces himself as a candidate for Associate Judge, for which office he certainly possesses good qualifications.

—Millheim, generally lively, is unusually so this week. Several legal dignitaries from Bellefonte—commonly called *lawyers*—(now we are not absolutely sure that the word is spelled exactly right) are here, taking the evidence in the contested election case of *Reifsnyder vs. Musser*, or whatever the legal name of the "case" is, for we are not enough of a *liar* to know. The names of our Bellefonte friends are C. M. Bower, D. F. Fortney and H. A. McKee. They are rather a good looking set of fellows, freshly shaven and in clean linen as they are, but we'd orfully hate to get into the legal clutches of any one of them. Our readers may have seen these chaps before.

—Dr. John F. Harter, Dentist, has removed his office to the second floor of Tomlinson's grocery, where he will be happy to receive his personal and professional friends. tf

### SPRING MILLS ITEMS.

Prof. Wolf has a very large school. Many from a distance are in attendance.

Prof. E. F. Smith has organized a glee club, which is making rapid progress in the beautiful art.

The Star Literary Society will give a public entertainment on Thursday evening, the 26th inst. It will no doubt be good. All should attend.

The Grand Central Hotel will be commenced in a few days—just what our thriving town wants, a first class hotel.

The new firm of Philips & Krape have their new planer in their shops and will also get a larger engine. Then for good and cheap work.

A big time is expected here on Decoration Day.

The prospects for a good hay and grain crop are very promising.

UNCLE TOM.

—An exchange puts the liquor question on the following rigid but logical grounds:

On the temperance question a stern alternative is before the American people. Either the nation must destroy the rum traffic or the rum traffic will destroy the nation. It is a death grapple. One or the other of the contestants is destined to perish. And the sooner our people see the naked issue the better. An aristocracy of an empire may coexist with the traffic, but a drunken republic is inevitable ruin. The springs of action are weakened, the sources of virtue are poisoned, the public sentiment, on which depends the stability of laws is debauched.

A SURE TEST.—The man that helps his wife throughout the entire siege of housecleaning, with all the extras that hang around and about that complex job in these modern days—and keeps a sweet, even temper—is the model man of the times—greater than statesman or general; in fact he is a philosopher and christian at the same time, and deserves a good snug place in heaven above. But he who enjoys the comforts of home the whole year round, always ready to devour well prepared dinners and wear clean linen, and when housecleaning time comes gives his *better* half the cold shoulder—leaves her to wrestle and tug with carpets, stoves, furniture, brooms, soap, brushes, water, etc., why that man is as nearly a heathen as he can or dare be in a christian country. What do the ladies think of the test?

## News Miscellany.

A GENTLEMAN.—If you cannot find a gentleman to marry, girls, do not marry at all. By the term I don't mean a man who is above the need of work; he may be anything but a gentleman; but a man who knows how to work, who has self-respect enough to keep him from low habits both of speech and action; who is courteous and honorable; who is not afraid of soiling his hands; the farmer, the blacksmith, the carpenter, any man may be a gentleman under dust, soot and chips, but if he is not, girls, don't marry him at all! There is enough trouble in life without increasing it in any way. Do not subject yourself to the mortification that would be sure to come with a husband who would continually cause you to blush for his lawless actions, for his coarseness and roughness, for his slippery dealings or for his hypocritical polish. It is not sufficient that a man looks and dresses well; he must act and live well besides.

Make your homes beautiful. You, we are talking to, who read this paper. You have "no money to spend," you say. We did not tell you to spend any. Your home can be made beautiful by a little labor. A few trees set out here and there to give their cooling shadows when the fierce sunlight falls. A few flowers yonder to brighten with their contrasting colors the green grass you should have here. A little whitewash on that fence and barn. All these cost nothing, or next to nothing, and they vastly add to the appearance of your place as well as to its comfort. Make your homes beautiful.

### COMING TO SETTLE IN AMERICA.

#### A Contract Made to Bring 80,000 Scandinavians Across the Atlantic.

A few days ago a cable dispatch was received in New York city stating that the owners of a steamship line in Hull, England, had contracted with parties in Norway and Sweden to bring about 80,000 emigrants from those countries to the United States.

### Jumped Herself to Death.

MILLWAUKEE, Wis., May 23.—A special dispatch to the *Republican* from Racine says: Annie Myrtle, a girl thirteen years of age, died yesterday from the effects of "jumping the rope." She jumped 102 times, which so injured her brain and other internal organs that she was a terrible sufferer until released by death. Another girl, Mary Faber, is very sick from the same cause.

At the recent session of the Huntdon court, David Put was convicted of disturbing a religious meeting and was ordered to pay a fine of fifty dollars and the cost of prosecution and to spend thirty days in the county jail.

An Iowa paper claims that the supply of marriageable girls there is not equal to the demand, as there are two men to one woman in that State. The paper sends the following mail to the other States: "Send along your sisters, and your cousins, and your aunts. Remember we want none of your scrawny, wasp-waisted, squint-eyed, cosmetic-washed, freckle-faced, but healthy, handsome, wide-awake, go-ahead girls, who have been permitted to grow up as the Lord made them."

A true bill: "So that's the *grand* jury, is it?" asked the man from the suburbs, after eagerly scanning the forms and features of the twenty-four individuals in the box—one man with unkempt sandy locks, another with an aroma of sentimental seediness brooding over him, a third with a look of benign vacuity irradiating his countenance and the others indicating different stages of wretchedness and misery. "Well, sir, if you've got any common, every-day jurymen around about here, I guess I don't care to look at them."—*Boston Transcript.*

### FIGHTING FOR A HUSBAND.

#### Wife Number One Taking Her Revenge Upon Wife Number Two.

LEBANON, May '0.—The Farmer's Hotel at this place was last night the scene of a lively scrimmage between two women, both of whom claimed to be the wife of a certain individual from Lancaster, who arrived here from that city two weeks ago and stopped at the above hotel. The lady who accompanied the man in question was his junior by about thirty years. He is about fifty. His story was that his wife died several years since and the young lady had been an inmate of the house and a personal friend of his deceased wife. He married her on account of her winning ways. They seemed to enjoy their honeymoon and matters passed along smoothly until last evening, when wife number one arrived on the scene, accompanied by a sister of the truant husband, for such he proved to be, having deserted his first wife in Lancaster, after taking about $500 of her money. The man and wife number two had just arrived at the hotel after having taken a carriage ride. Their reception was of a lively nature. The woman who had been deserted sprang on the young woman with the fury of a tigress, scratching and pounding her in a terrible manner until she was compelled to beat a retreat from the place. The man had made arrangements to go into the livery business here and for this purpose had purchased a lot of horses from prominent citizens. The arrival of wife number one and the story she told of his doings had the effect of putting a quietus on the arrangement.

HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN HAIR RENEWER is a scientific combination of some of the most powerful restorative agents in the vegetable kingdom. It restores gray hair to its original color. It makes the scalp white and clean. It cures dandruff and humors, and falling-out of the hair. It furnishes the nutritive principle by which the hair is nourished and supported. It makes the hair moist, soft and glossy, and is unsurpassed as a hair dressing. It is the most economical preparation ever offered to the public, as its effects remain a long time, making only an occasional application necessary. It is recommended and used by eminent medical men, and officially endorsed by the State Assayer of Massachusetts. The popularity of Hall's Hair Renewer has increased with the test of many years, both in this country and in foreign lands, and is now known and used in all the civilized countries of the world.
FOR SALE BY ALL DEALERS.

### MARRIED.

On the 11th inst., in the Reformed church at Boalsburg, by Rev. W. H. Groh, assisted by Rev. Prof. D. M. Wolf, Rev. S. M. Roeder, pastor of the Centre Hall charge, and Miss Mary A. Groh, daughter of the officiating clergyman.

### DIED.

On the 13th inst., in Booneville, Clinton county, Pa., Mrs. Emma Shaffer, wife of Samuel Shafer, and youngest daughter of William Strohecker, aged 24 years, 6 months and 5 days.

On the 19th inst., in Sugar Valley, of diphtheria Cora Emma, daughter of Daniel and Sarah Jane Moyer, aged 10 years, 8 months and 8 days.

(Clinton Co. papers please copy.)

### Millheim Market.

Corrected every Wednesday by Gephart & Musser.

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| Wheat No. | 1.05 |
| Wheat No. 2 | 95 |
| Corn | 45 |
| Rye | 75 |
| Oats White | 35 |
| Oats, Black | 32 |
| Buckwheat | 50 |
| Flour | 5 40 |
| Bran & Shorts, per ton | 18 00 |
| Salt, per Brl | 1.75 |
| Plaster, ground | 10.00 |
| Cement, per Bushel | 45 to 50 |
| Barley | 50 |
| Tymothyseed | 1.50 |
| Flaxseed | 23 |
| Cloverseed | 4.50 |
| Butter | 18 |
| Hams | 12 |
| Sides | 8 |
| Veal | |
| Pork | |
| Beef | |
| Eggs | 12 |
| Potatoes | 50 |
| Lard | 8 |
| Tallow | |
| Soap | 5 |
| Dried Apples | 3 |
| Dried Peaches | 10 |
| Dried Cherries | |

COAL MARKET.

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| Egg Coal | $5.50 |
| Stove " | 5.75 |
| Chestnut " | 5.30 |
| Pea " | 4.00 |

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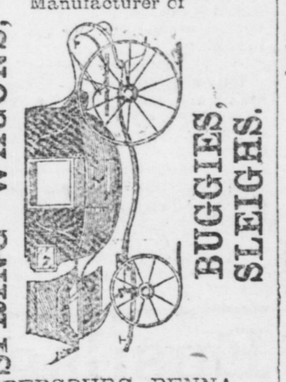

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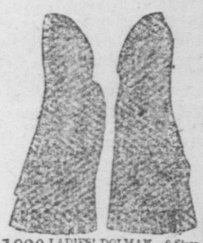

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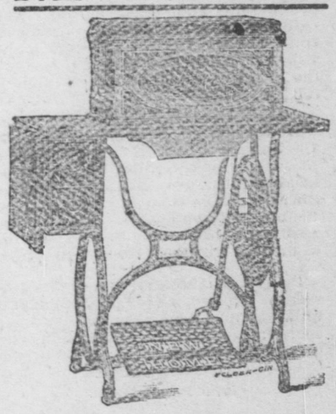

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## AGRICULTURE.

WHAT NEXT?—A California inventor has made a machine for pressing and drying potatoes so that they will keep for years, yet preserve their natural flavor, No chemicals are used in the operatian of curing, everything being done by a simple machine capable of pressing six hundred bushels of potatoes in twenty four hours. The machine not only presses the potatoes, but lays them on a tray in a concave form with the hollow side down. After the pressure they are put into a drying apparatus, where they remain for two hours, then they are ground into coarse meal resembling cracked rice. The first shipment of these preserved potatoes to Liverpool, last year, brought a large profit. The average price of potatoes in San Francisco is about twenty-five cents a bushel. Dried, they breught in England forty five shillings a hundred weight, or at the rate of a dollar and a half a bushel for green potatoes, This year preparation has been made for drying and shipping large quantities. It is said that there are three hundred thousand acres of uncultivated land on the western slope of the Coast Range, near San Francisco, especially adapted to potato growing. The fogs and mists from the ocean supply sufficient moisture, and the soil yields bountifully. The only problem heretofore has been where to market the product.

THE most widely spread and fata disease of swine is the hog cholera. Commissioner De Duc claims that the aggregate loss to farmers of the United States from this source foots up from $50,000,000 to $80,000,000 per annum. Certain counties in the Western States, he says, lose from $50,000 to $80,000 from this disease alone. Neglect and allowing the animals to look after their subsistence on the "root, hog or die" principle, are no doubt the leading causes of the devastation committed by cholera, though we cannot believe that the aggregate loss amounts to anything li e fifteen to twenty millions of dollars.

PRESERVATION OF FRUIT BY BURIAL.—Last January a California fruit dealer took one hundred lemons fresh from the tree and buried them in the ground to see how they would keep. Four months after he dug them up and found them in perfect preservation, as sound and fresh and nice as the day they were buried. Every one knows how well potatoes keep when properly covered by earth. Apples would do equally well; and pos ibly the same method may answer for grapes and other more perishable fruit. It would not cost much to try a few experiments in this direction, and success could not fail to be advantageous.

ONIONS.—Onions require rich soil and clean culture. A newly reclaimed swamp is the best soil, and the longer it is kept in onions the better they succeed. The seed is sown in drills nine to twelve inches apart, and thinned out to three or four inches in the rows. High manuring is required, and, with horoughly rotted stable manure, superphosphate of lime is the best artificial help.

Excessive drinking of water by farm animals is said to increase the consumption of fat in the body. Too watery fodder and too much drink are therefore to be avoided, especially in fattening, if we wish to attain the most rapid and abundant formation of flesh and fat.

PROFESSOR Riley says that kerosene or oil of any kind is sure death to insects in all stages, and the only substance with which we may hope to destroy the eggs, Oils will not mix directly with water, but will mix with milk, fresh or sour, and then may be diluted to any desired extent.

THE excessive dry summer and autumn of last year, combined with the fact that now the ground has so far been well covered with snow, will no doubt add greatly to the fertility of the soil, and, other things being favorable, we may reasonably expect good crops.

CURRANT CUTTINGS. The fall is the best time to make and plant cuttings of currants and other shrubs. The callus is formed at the end of the cuttings, and the roots start during the winter. The next best time is early in the spring as soon as the frost is out of the ground.

HOGS require free access to water in the Summer time. If they can have a place to bathe or wallow in, it is beneficial to them, as it cools and cleanses the skin. Mud is no filth: it is a good disinfectant and healthful. Sometimes mud baths have been found useful as medical treatment for sick people.

PASTURES that have been fed a few seasons will generally produce more, milk, or make more milk, or make more fat, than those which have been newly seeded down.

### The Poison Habit.

But under all circumstances make a firm stand against the poison habit. It is best to call things by their right names. The effect upon the animal economy of every stimulant is strictly that of a poison, and every poison may become a stimulant. There is no bane in the South American swamps, no virulent compound in the North American drug stores—chemistry knows no deadliest poison—whose gradual and persistent obtrusion on the human organism will not create an unnatural craving after a repetition of the lethal dose, a morbid appetency in every way analogous to the hankering of the toper after his favorite tipple. Swallow a tablespoonful of laudanum or a few grains of arsenious acid every night. At first your physical conscience protests by every means in its power; nausea, gripes, spasms and nervous headache warn you again and again; the struggles of the digestive organs against the fell intruder convulse your whole system. But you continue the dose, and nature, true to her highest law to preserve life at any price, finally adapts herself to an abnormal condition—adapts the poison at whatever cost of health, strength and happiness. Your body becomes an opium machine, an arsenic mill, a physiological engine moved by poison, and performing its functions only under the spur of the unnatural stimulus. But bye and-bye the jaded system fails to respond to the spur, your strength gives way, and alarmed at the symptoms of rapid delirium, you resolve to remedy the evil by removing the cause. You try to renounce stimulation, and rely once more on the unaided strength of the vis vitæ. But that strength is almost exhausted. The oil that should have fed the flame of life has been wasted on a health-consuming fire. Before you can regain strength and happiness your system must readapt itself to the normal condition, and the difficulty of that rearrangement will be proportioned to the degree of the present disarrangement; the further you have strayed from nature the longer it will take you to retrace your steps.

## DOMESTIC.

SILK HANDKERCHIEFS AND THE DANGERS ATTENDING THEIR USE.—It seems indispensable that a person in full dress nowadays should carry a silk pocket-handkerchief of a more or less brilliant hue. Old and young of both sexes affect this radiant appendage, the varied hues of which are so brilliant as to recall the altar paintings and stained glass window of the pre-Raphaelite age. Brilliant colors, like the reds, the blues, the yellows, the purples and the pinks have been regarded by eminent critics like Ruskin, as indicative of a pure state of morals in a community than where the sober half-tints of grays and Quaker hues prevailed. Innocence loves bright hues, while vice seeks the obscurity of twilight shades. If this theory be correct our pocket handkerchiefs are about the only redeeming feature of our color morality at present. It is sad to reflect that they have nothing but their fleeting dyes to recommend them. They are flimsy and insubstantial in material and they won't wash. They are dyed by dangerous poisons, and every time they are applied to one's nose, or lips, or eyes, a portion of their malignant coloring matter is absorbed. If any one will wash one of those gaudy pocket butterflies in tepid water, (they wont stand hot), it will be found that sufficient color is removed to poison a cat or to destroy a large window plant if watered with the dye in solution. Many of the dyes are derived from compounds of chromium, which metal, by the way, receives its name from the Greek chroma, color, on account of the beauty of the tints it produces in combination. Others are derived from poisonous protosalts of iron, prussiate of potash and dyes equally poisonous. There is so much rivalry to produce rich, bright colors that the chemistry of the dyeing processes is not carefully supervised, or well understood. Improper mordants are applied, and fast colors are consequently not produced. Some of the headaches too common nowadays are undoubtedly to be attributed to the use of those bright colored handkerchiefs, and when a physician is at a loss to explain the cause of a feeble, disturbed and irritable state of the nervous system, a little inquiry would probably disclose the habitual use of those gay handkerchiefs as the source of the mischief. Mothers should be especially careful that infants are kept from sucking or chewing the alluring baubles, for with some of the colors to be seen in the store windows, one such familiarity in the case of a baby would be fatal.

RUSTIC WORK BASKETS.—The foot and frame are constructed of thorn or other knotted sticks, heavily gilded. The basket-shape portion has two linings. The outer one, which should be of dark rich satin, puffed, protrudes itself saucily through the manifold interstices. The inner one is arranged in a similar manner, except that it is fitted to a flat foundation, and should be of some warm, bright hue, gathered to a thick gold cord, making the orifice smaller than it would be if it terminated where the rustic work leaves off, besides serving as a rest for the exquisite cover which completes this really elegant affair. This cover consists of a piece of cardboard of the proper size to fit inside the rustic frame, covered with satin of the dark shade upon which is painted a landscape or group of rustic figures. The under side should have the bright color of the inner lining; while the picture should have a frame composed of double puffs of dark satin; the outside or border puffs should stand up richly but the other ought to be rather flat; a loop of gold cord at each side forms the handles. The French people use a pretty style of the basket for trimming the knives, forks and silver from the luncheon table. The shape resembles a coal scuttle without a mouth or lip, and has a division across the center, so that the silver and cuttlery may be kept apart. The scroll hands rise on each side, ending with a loop, through which passes a curved bar bar with knobs to prevent its slipping out of bounds.

CANADIAN JELLY CAKE.—Beat one teacupful of white sugar and four ounces of butter to a cream; add the yolks of three eggs, well beaten and two tablespoonfuls of milk. Stir into the above one pound of flour, with two teaspoonfuls of cream tartar and one of soda mixed in it. Last of all add the whites of the eggs beaten to a strong froth. Flavor with lemon essence, and pour the batter into four shallow tins like plates, and bake fifteen minutes in a quick oven. When cold, two cakes are placed on the top of each other, with jelly or preserve between. The cakes should be an inch thick when baked, and served with powdered sugar.

ORANGE PIE OR PUDDING.—One pound of butter, one pound of sugar beaten to a cream, one glass of brandy, wine or rose water; ten eggs beaten to a high froth; have two oranges and boil the rind until it is tender; change the water two or three times while it is boiling, then beat it in a mortar and squeeze the juice in, together with the rind of one lemon grated and the juice of the same, mix all well together with the other ingredients, and bake in a puff paste without an upper crust; half this quantity is sufficient for two ordinary-sized pies.

NEVER use anything but light blankets to cover the silk, The heavy, impervious counterpane is bad, for the eason that it retains the exhalations, from the pores of the sick person while the blanket allows them to pass through. Weak persons are invariably distressed by a great weight of bed-cloths, which often prevent their getting any sound sleep whatever.

BRAZILIAN TEA DISH.—Take some slices of bread about half an inch thick, cut off all crust, steep the bread in milk; when soaked through cover each piece with beaten yolk of egg, fry with butter a light brown, then arrange the slices on a hot plate, and lay on each piece a tolerably thick covering of powdered sugar and cinnamon well mingled.

OYSTER FRITTERS.—Drain them thoroughly, chop fine, season with pepper and salt. Make a batter of eggs, milk and flour; stir the chopped oysters in this and fry in hot butter; or fry them whole, envelope in batter, one in each fritter. In this case the batter should be thicker than if they were chopped.

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## HUMOROUS.

A DETROIT grocer displayed a dozen cakes of the clearest and nicest new maple sugar possible to make and as he stood at his door a citzen halted and looked at the sugar and queried:

"New?"

"No, it's old."

"Make it yourself?"

"Yes."

"Adulterated?"

"Yes."

"Shouldn't think it would be healthy."

"It isn't."

"Then why do you want to sell it?"

"I don't want to. I set it out here so that a dray could cart it off, and dump it on some vacant lot."

The citizen looked up and down the street, across the way, and finally said:

"I guess I'll take two pounds of your warmed-up, adulterated old sugar. If it was new I wouldn't touch the stuff at any price. Please weigh this cake."

He paid for the sugar and carried it away, but he looked like a man who wanted to say something mean to somebody.

"I THINK I may be excused for a little show of pride in saying that I knew when to quit Wall street," he observed as an elevated train carried them over that great thoroughfare.

"So you used to speculate?"

"Yes; I was on the street for seven years."

"Made your pile, I suppose?"

"Yes; I made and lost money the same as the rest. At one time I could draw my check for $83.000; that isn't so bad for a man who went into Wall street with only $40 in his pocket."

"And you knew where to quit?"

"Yes, sir."

"That was when—when?"

"That was when I had enough left to pay my fare to Elmira and hire a boy to carry my satchel up to my father-in-law's hotel!" was the reply.

(Troy, (N. Y.) Press.

### Editorial Approval.

Mr. W. J. Melvin, Editor Warren, Mass. *Herald*, was cured of severe Neuralgia by the use of St. Jacob's Oil.

SEVERAL gentlemen were standing on the corner of Galveston avenue when one of the most fashionable ladies of Galveston passed on the sidewalk.

"Ah!" exclaimed one of the gentlemen, "what a complexion! There is nothing to beat it in Galveston. I am proud of that woman, I am."

"Are you her husband?" asked a stranger.

"No, sir."

"Her father, then?"

"No, sir; I am no relation to her; but I am proud of her complexion. I am the druggist that sold it to her. I made it myself."

YOUNG Malony DeSmith, who exterminates melody with a fiddle, met old Colonel Northcote recently, and said to him: "Colonel, you must be on hand to-night at the DeSmith mansion. I want you to hear some really good music. I will give a few solos on the violin to a few invited guests and afterward, at 8 o'clock, we will have some refreshments—oysters, wines, cigars, you know." "My dear boy, I will be on hand just a little after 8. Rely on me."

"I CAN'T find a place in the city to suit me," despairingly remarked a house-hunting lady to her husband yesterday. "Why so, my dear?" "Why, because, because, well, if you must know, I can't find a mantel long enough for the crewel lambrequin I made last winter."

A STROLLING theatrial company was at dinner. A waiter approached one of the members and said, so up?" "No, sir," indignantly replied the person addressed, "I am one of the musicians."

[Muscatine (Iowa,) Daily Journal.[

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"I DECLARE, John, I never saw such a man! You are always getting some new wrinkle." And he calmly replied, "Matilda, you are not, thank fortune. If you had a new wrinkle, you would have no place to put it dear." Which was rather uncomplimentary to himself, seeing that most wives' premature wrinkles are caused by their husbands.


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We are so thankful to say that our baby was permanently cured of a dangerous and protracted irregularity of the bowels by the use of Hop Bitters by its mother, which at the same time restored her to perfect health and strength.—The Parents, Rochester, N. Y. See another column.—*Buffalo Express.*


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The reply was gently wafted back to their ears: "Yes, but we keep it for our own calves."

The boys calculated that they had business away—and they went.

A FASHIONABLE Boston lady was unexpectedly left without a servant. She undertook to make her husband a cup of coffee, but it took so long he asked what in the Halifax was the matter with the coffee. "I don't know," she said, bursting into tears; I've boiled these beans for a full hour, and they are no softer now than they were when I first put them in the pot."


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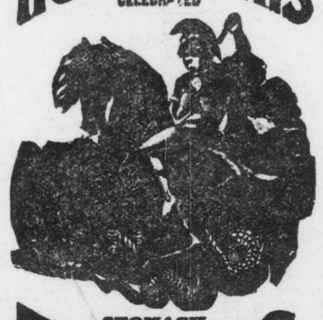

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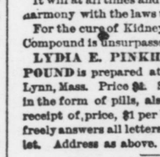

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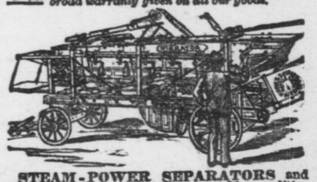

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